

IRISH PARLEY IS SCHEDULED FOR THURSDAY

Premier Lloyd George and Eamonn De Valera Will Confer Thursday — Irish Truce Goes Into Effect.

MILITARY IS NOW IDLE

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, July 11.—Premier Lloyd George and Eamonn De Valera will meet in London on Thursday, at a place not yet designated, to begin the preliminary conversations in an effort to arrive at a settlement of the Irish question.

The premier was notified by the Republican leader today that he was coming to London on that date. It is understood his colleagues will include Arthur Griffith, founder of the Sinn Fein; Prof. John MacNeill; E. J. Duggan and Michael Staines, Sinn Fein member of Parliament.

The British premier's colleagues have not yet been announced. Meanwhile the truce agreed upon last week became effective in Ireland at noon today, with the exception of Belfast, with yesterday's experience one of the most frightful days of fighting and bloodshed in its history.

Trouble continued on a smaller scale in some districts this morning and the curfew, which was lifted by the truce, has been reimposed, while the military, carrying arms, are continuing to police the city.

Dublin resumed its old peacefulness today and military display was lacking.

From distant parts of southern and western Ireland came reports of violence over the week-end, but these incidents all occurred before the truce became effective, and the Dublin authorities assume they were due to the fact that word of the truce had not yet been received.

Confidence is expressed that the Irish constabulary will obey the orders of its leaders for the cessation of hostilities.

The greatest optimism over the prospects for a settlement continued to prevail today in nearly all quarters.

HICKSITE FRIENDS TO MEET HERE AUG. 7-11

The Hicksite Friends yearly meeting is to be conducted here Aug. 7 to 11, inclusive, in the North A Street Friends church.

While the complete program for the yearly meeting has not been prepared, it is known that one of the main features of the meeting will be the young Friends special program, to be held during the yearly meeting on Tuesday afternoon and night, Aug. 9.

Albert J. Brown, of Indianapolis, will deliver the keynote address to the young Friends in the afternoon. The evening program will be given by the young Friends themselves.

Young Friends and older Friends are to join a camp on the North A street meeting house grounds during the week. The camp will open on Saturday, Aug. 6, just preceding yearly meeting, so that all may be in readiness for the big opening meeting on Sunday, the day following.

Friends from a distance who are to be in attendance will include Dr. O. Edward Janney and Anne W. Janney, of Baltimore; J. Barnard Walton, of Philadelphia; Allen C. Blackburn, of Bedford, Pa.; and Mary Whitson. Some effort will be made to carry out the summer school idea and competent instructors for both adults and children will be on the grounds. Anna Dean Stephens and her children are to attend the camp. Mrs. Stephens is noted for her work among children.

Plans include excursions to Glen Miller park and elsewhere. The North A street meeting house is to be remodeled in preparation for the yearly meeting. Tents to be used for the camping will be as such as will be used by the local chautauque.

DISARMAMENT STEP TAKEN BY AMERICA

WASHINGTON, July 11.—A statement announcing the step proposed by President Harding for a conference at Washington of the principal allied and associated powers to discuss limitation of armaments was issued last night by the state department by direction of the president. The statement says:

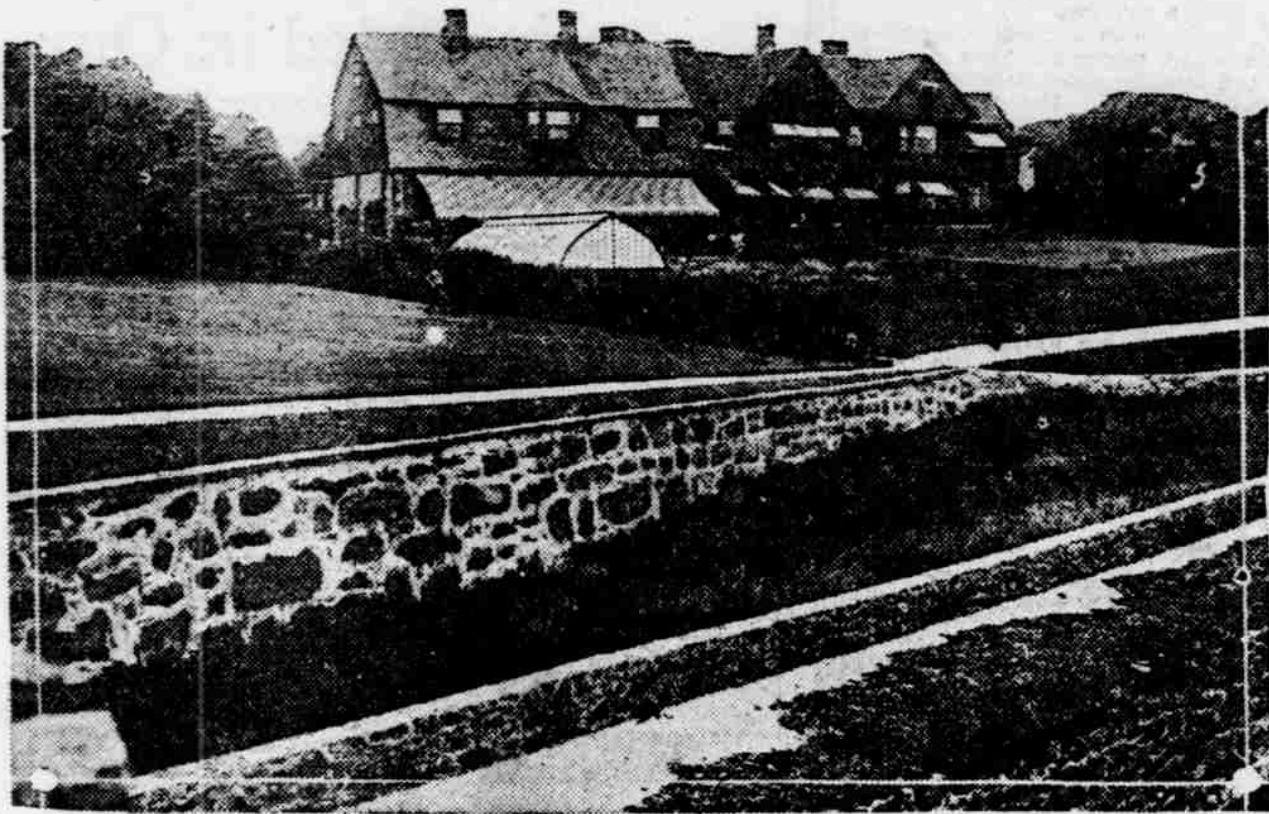
"The president, in view of the far-reaching importance of the question of limitation of armaments, has approached with informal but definite inquiry the group of powers heretofore known as the principal allied and associated powers, that is, Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan, to ascertain whether it would be agreeable to them to take part in a conference on this subject to be held in Washington at a time mutually to be agreed upon.

"If the proposal is found to be acceptable, formal invitations for such a conference will be issued.

"It is manifest that the question of limitation of armaments has a close relation to Pacific and far eastern problems, and the president has suggested that the powers especially interested in these problems should undertake in connection with this conference consideration of all matters bearing upon their solution, with a view of reaching a common understanding with respect to principles and policy in the far east.

"This has been communicated to the powers concerned and China also has been invited to take part in the discussion relating to far eastern problems."

Where President Harding May Spend Brief Summer Vacation



View of "Honeysuckle Lodge" from the road.

It is reported that President Harding may take a brief vacation before the summer ends, at the home of T. Suffern Tallor, at Newport, L. I. The home is known as "Honeysuckle Lodge."

Farmers Must Renew Campaign Against Chinch Bugs in Fall

No Other Insect Has Spread Its Devastating Horde Over Wider Territory Than the Pest Prevalent Here, Says Government Expert—Huge Losses

PALLADIUM NEWS BUREAU
WASHINGTON, July 11.—In response to an inquiry made by Representative Richard N. Elliott as to whether the bureau of entomology of the department of agriculture was co-operating in the effort to check the ravages of the chinch bug in Wayne, Henry, Fayette and other counties in the sixth Indiana congressional district, L. O. Howard, chief of the bureau, states that the situation throughout east central Indiana and other parts of the state has been under the closest surveillance by the bureau.

The bureau of entomology asserts that as early as last fall it issued warnings to farmers in Indiana and other parts of the central west that a chinch bug outbreak was impending. The bureau is of the opinion that too many farmers failed to heed these warnings.

Mr. Howard states that experts connected with his bureau who are stationed at Lafayette, "have been actively engaged in conducting a campaign to prevent a migration of the chinch bugs from the wheat to the corn, shortly after or about the time the wheat is harvested."

Little of a helpful nature can be done to save the corn, Mr. Howard says, after it has become thoroughly invaded by chinch bugs. Contact insecticides will kill the chinch bugs, he states, but very often they also kill the corn.

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FAVORABLE ACTION ON BONUS, DEMANDED

A letter urging that favorable action be taken on the proposed bonus for World War Veterans has been forwarded by James F. Pace, commander of the local branch of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, to President Harding, Senators Watson and New and eight other senators.

The letter to President Harding follows: Warren Harding, President of the United States, Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. President: As a soldier and citizen of this great Republic I take great pleasure in asking you to support the soldier's national bonus.

We have worked hard for a Republican president and congress, thinking that you would do justice for the ex-soldier; but I am afraid Mr. President you are not doing justice for the boys who offered their lives and sacrificed their business. Today nearly one million ex-soldiers are out of work and no remedy for them.

The adjusted compensation bill that they are about to authorize will cost but a very small fraction of what would have been the cost should the war have continued any longer, considering the 15,000,000,000 expended during one year of war. Didn't the American soldier end this war? Just how much did we save the government by so doing? Do you ever stop to think of this? Now we are asking for a fair compensation and you are trying to turn it down.

The soldiers upon whom the country showered all manner of promises are only asking for a fair treatment, and I am sure that there isn't a bit of doubt but that congress and the citizens will see that they get it.

Very truly yours, JAMES F. PACE, A. E. F. Soldier.

GRAND LODGE OF ELKS OPENS SESSION TODAY

[BULLETIN]
LOS ANGELES, July 11.—Chicago will be recommended as the location of a permanent national headquarters of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks at the 57th grand lodge of the order by a committee named to report on the subject.

(By Associated Press)
LOS ANGELES, July 11.—This city was host to more than 20,000 members, their relatives and friends, here to attend the fifty-seventh grand lodge of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, which opens its sessions today. About 20,000 other persons are expected to arrive for the sessions before noon tomorrow. The Chicago delegation is one of the numerous ones which will submit arguments for the selection of their respective cities as the site of a proposed national headquarters to cost \$2,500,000. This site is to be chosen Wednesday. The 1922 budget will be introduced today.

James P. Dillon is the delegate of Richmond lodge of Elks No. 649.

Five Robbers Held Up Cashier; Get \$19,000

(By Associated Press)
NEW YORK, July 11.—Five robbers today held up the cashier and assistant cashier of the Horton Ice Cream company, outside the company's office on East Twenty-fourth street, and escaped in an automobile with \$19,000 in cash. The employees were starting for a bank with the money in a satchel.

TAFT BECOMES CHIEF JUSTICE OF SUPREME COURT; TAKES OATH

WASHINGTON, July 11.—William Howard Taft was sworn in today as chief justice of the United States. The simple ceremony of elevating the former president to the supreme court was performed in the office of Attorney General Daugherty by Justice Hoehling, of the district supreme court, in the absence from the city of the justices of the supreme court.

Those present included: Mr. Taft's brother, Henry W. Taft, of New York, and John P. Adams, chairman of the Republican National committee. Before the oath was administered, Attorney General Daugherty presented Mr. Taft with his commission as chief justice, saying:

"I now hand you on behalf of the president, your commission as chief justice of the United States. It affords me great pleasure on account of our personal relations but far above that I feel a security to the country, its constitution, its laws, and its people, in your installation in that high court."

Immediately after taking the oath Chief Justice Taft went to the White House to pay his respects to President Harding. He was accompanied by Mr. Daugherty.

BUILDING TIE-UP END PREDICTED BY HEADS OF OPPOSING FORCES

An end to the building tie-up that has been in progress in this city for the last four weeks is predicted by leaders on both sides Monday. Meetings for the Master Builders' association and the Building Trades council are scheduled for Monday night, and it is thought that the two factions will be able to settle their differences and work in the city be resumed immediately.

The Master Builders had given the carpenters of the city until Thursday of last week to accept their schedule of 75 cents an hour. The carpenters did not comply at that time. Just what form of compromise will be effected Monday night none of the men interested would state.

Ernest Gable, business manager for the unions, has been in conference with Charles Kern, of Indianapolis, president of the State Building Trades council, and Joe Etchison, international organizer of the Building Labor Union. These men probably will be at Monday night's meeting.

Henry J. Dietrich, head of the Master Builders' association, states that non-union men will be put to work by them unless some kind of agreement is reached. Both sides seem to be in a more receptive mood now than at any time since the beginning of the difficulties.

Eaton Nurse Marries Hero Met in France; Surprise to Parents

(Special to The Palladium)
EATON, O., July 11.—Miss Marie Spacht, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Spacht, of Eaton, and Frederick H. Pierce, of Cambridge City, Mass., were married July 2 in New York City. The marriage was a surprise even to her parents. The couple are now at home at 75 Neerlan Road, Tarrytown, N. Y.

The marriage was the culmination of a romance that had its inception during the world war, when Miss Spacht and Mr. Pierce were in overseas service. It fell to Miss Spacht's lot in a hospital to nurse Mr. Pierce. A friendship sprang up that resulted in their marriage.

Miss Spacht is a graduate of the Eaton schools and a graduate of the nurses' training department of Christ hospital, Cincinnati. For some time she had been engaged in technical work in the laboratory and X-ray department of Christ hospital.

A few days before her marriage she gave up her work and went to New York, ostensibly to enter Bellevue hospital, but instead she was joined by Mr. Pierce and they were married. The bride has many friends in Eaton.

Weather Forecast

MOORE'S LOCAL FORECAST.
Fair and warm, excepting for a possible local thunderstorm.

The weather will continue generally fair excepting for possible local thunderstorms in some portions of Wayne County. Warm weather will prevail.

For Indiana, by the United States Weather Bureau—Generally fair to night and Tuesday, no change in temperature.

Temperatures for Yesterday.
Maximum 89
Minimum 64
Today

Weather conditions — The weather conditions remain rather stagnant over the Central States due to the slow movement of high and low barometric pressure areas. It is cool in the northwest and heavy rains prevail over the Southern states.

U. S. VESSELS RETURNED TO TAMPICO BAY

Warships Reported Withdrawn Appear in Mexican Port—Think Sailing Due to International Technicality.

CLAIM EXAGGERATION

(By Associated Press)
MEXICO CITY, July 11.—United States war ships which on Friday were reported to have been withdrawn from Tampico, returned to that port yesterday afternoon.

Dispatches reaching Mexico City last night said the Sacramento and Cleveland again were anchored at the mouth of the Pamuco river, and, although no explanation was given for their return, it was presumed the vessels withdrew to the high seas for technicalities of international law and then returned to Tampico.

When they first arrived off the Pamuco river last week it was said their mission was to "protect North American interests." It is considered not improbable the vessels will continue this maneuver until the situation clears.

Situation Quiet

Reports from Tampico state that situation remains quiet, and that no disturbances have taken place. General Arnulfo Gomez, commander of federal troops in that district, arrived there Saturday night following a conference with officials in this city.

After a hasty survey of the situation and an examination of reports, he advised the government that reports regarding conditions at Tampico had been exaggerated, and that there was no need for alarm.

The number of men out of work was greatly overestimated, he declared, but he gave no definite figures. The confederation of workers of the state of Vera Cruz, representing fifteen unions, met at Orizaba yesterday, and drafted an appeal to the American Federation of Labor, asking its aid in preventing serious difficulties between the United States and Mexico.

RICHMOND K. OF C'S. PAY FAREWELL CALL TO FATHER GORMAN

Seventy members of the Richmond council of the Knights of Columbus paid a farewell call on Father J. M. Gorman of St. Elizabeth's church, Cambridge City, Sunday afternoon, to wish him success in his new position as director of the Gbault School, which the order maintains at Terre Haute.

Father Walter Cronin of St. Mary's church and John Harrington made short addresses, to which Father Gorman responded. Father Gorman has been an assistant pastor here for several years and is popular with members of the order.

The appointment of Father Gorman to the post is regarded as a distinct honor for the popular priest of Cambridge City. The school is on the old Smith homestead, comprising 110 acres, with a lake for its own water supply, model dairy, swimming pool, and other accessories. The school has 40 rooms for boys. Father Gorman will have two priests as assistants.

The institution is under the management of the bishops of the Fort Wayne and the Indianapolis dioceses and three members of the Knights of Columbus.

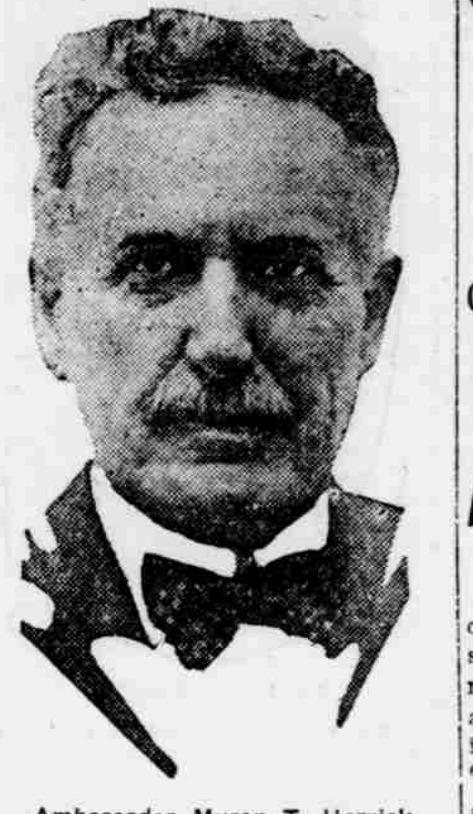
Father John Schenk of Obertsville, Ind., will succeed Father Gorman. He will arrive in a week or 10 days.

Two Autos Stolen DURING WEEK-END

Two automobiles were stolen from North A street, during Saturday and Sunday night. A touring car belonging to Oscar H. Thompson, of Spring Grove, was stolen from north Eighth and A streets, Saturday night about 9:00 p. m.

A coupe, the property of Richard A. Gatzick, 317 South Fifth street, was stolen from North Ninth and A streets Sunday night, between 8:30 and 10 p. m. No trace of either car had been found Monday.

Envoy to France



Ambassador Myron T. Herrick

This photo of Myron T. Herrick was taken just before he sailed for France recently to assume his duties as U. S. ambassador to France.

DAYTON, WASHINGTON OFFICIALS AWAITED TO FIX BLAME FOR CRASH

(By Associated Press)
MOUNDSVILLE, W. VA., July 11.—Officials of Langley field here where five persons were killed yesterday and a number injured when a Martin bombing plane crashed into automobiles parked on the grounds, were awaiting today the arrival of officers from Dayton, O., and Bolling Field, Washington, before making a statement as to the cause of the accident and fixing responsibility.

The officers from these fields were ordered here last night to investigate the accident, according to word from Washington.

The bomber, piloted by Lieutenants C. R. Melve and T. H. Duntun, attached to the Langley (Va.) field, were taking the machine from Cleveland to the Virginia field, when trouble developed at Langley in the take-off, sending the machine crashing into the line of automobiles, causing the tanks to explode and spraying the burning fuel over the spectators.

Sixteen automobiles were burned and trapped victims in the machines. Others were burned and injured to the number of a score, requiring surgical attention in local hospitals.

Pilot Escape

The pilots of the bomber who were taking it to Langley field where it was to be installed into service, escaped with burned face and hands, after being extracted from the wreckage by Carl Miller, coach at Bethany college, and Sergeant Roy Duley on duty at the local field. Duley, also suffered from numerous burns in rescuing the pilots, and had his hair burned from his scalp.

The monetary loss in the accident will reach \$100,000 dollars, it is said. The automobiles burned were estimated at \$20,000, and the bomber at \$80,000. A revised list of dead included:

Fred Bige, 35, Round Bottom, W. Va.; Carl Pettit, 16, Moundsville; Ralph Hartzell, 11, Moundsville; Mrs. George Long, 65, Moundsville; and Leo Woraski, aged 9, Moundsville. Many of the severely injured were treated at the Glendale hospital where little hope was offered for the recovery of half dozen of the more seriously injured.

BELFAST CONTINUES RIOTS TODAY; SIXTY PERSONS IN HOSPITAL

BELFAST, July 11.—Quiet was reported prevailing in all districts of the city, this morning, following yesterday's disorders and bloodshed. Inquiries at hospitals showed that persons wounded during yesterday's riot were as a whole progressing satisfactorily, although a few were believed to be in critical condition. About 160 persons are still in the hospitals.

The quiet was disturbed before the morning had progressed far. A great deal of revolver firing developed in Stanhope street, and the adjoining Carrick Hill districts. At one hospital six cases of bullet wounds were treated. A bakery wagon was burned in Lancaster street and the driver beaten. Some firing occurred in several of yesterday's disturbed areas but police patrols promptly checked any attempt at an organized outbreak.

The freight and mail train from Belfast to Londonderry was attacked near Carrickmore, county Tyrone, this morning and six cars with their contents were burned and the line torn up at this point.

HOT WEATHER THOUGHT

"Hot water surely saves coal," remarked a Center township farmer as he described his plumbing system. "During the hot spell we have been drawing hot water from the cold water faucet, and cold water from the hot water faucets. The cold water pipes come from a tank in the attic which stands under a slate roof on which the sun is beating all day, while on the other hand, the hot water pipes run from the furnace in the basement."

"As there is no fire there and the basement is the coolest part of the house now, water drawn from those pipes is cold, while water from the cold water faucet is almost scalding hot."

GOAL OF U.S. FOR WORLD TO DISARM

Course Definitely Fixed—Also Seeks Solution of Pacific and Far East Problems—Great Britain Pleased.

AWAIT HARDING WORDS

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, July 11.—The course of the United States was definitely set today toward two goals of international importance — limitation of armament and solution of problems involving the Pacific and the far east.

President Harding, it was revealed in a state department announcement published today, has approached with informal but definite inquiries the governments of Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan to ascertain whether it would be agreeable to those nations to participate in a conference to be held in Washington at an agreed upon date for the discussion of armament limitation.

He furthermore has suggested to the nations interested in the problems of the Pacific and far east that there be undertaken in connection with the armament conference "the consideration of all matters bearing upon their solution with a view to reaching a common understanding with respect to principles and policies in the far east."

The state department announcement said that if the proposal for a limitation of armament conference were found acceptable, formal invitations for the conference would be issued. Whether any responses to the inquiries directed to the allied and associated powers have been received by the president and not indicated in the department's announcement.

LONDON, July 11.—President Harding's message looking to the calling of an international conference on the limitation of armaments has been received with the utmost pleasure by Great Britain, Premier Lloyd George declared in the House of Commons today.

"The world has been looking to the United States for such a lead," Mr. Lloyd George declared in referring to President Harding's message. "I am confident that the house will esteem it as an act of far-seeing statesmanship and will wholeheartedly wish it success. No effort will be lacking to make it so on the part of the British empire, which shares to the full the liberal and progressive spirit inspiring it."

Harvey Present
Colonel George Harvey, the American ambassador, was in the gallery of the House to hear the prime minister's statement, which was interrupted frequently by cheering.

Newspapers of London printed reports of the President's proposal this morning, giving the news the place of utmost importance in their columns, and what editorial comment there was was most appreciative of Mr. Harding's action.

China would be admitted to the conference for the purpose of taking part in the consideration of far eastern problems, and there was a feeling here today that the discussions would bring about a genuine understanding which would include virtually the whole field of international relations. George Harvey, the American ambassador to Great Britain, is understood to have conveyed President Harding's proposal to Prime Minister Lloyd George at Chequers court yesterday.

Domestic Premiers, who were spending the week end with Mr. Lloyd George, joined with him in heartily receiving Mr. Harvey, and voicing appreciation of Mr. Harding's action in asking for a conference. Newspaper comment would appear to indicate deep gratification on the part of the British people over the prospects of a disarmament conference, it being felt that such a meeting would clear away the difficulties surrounding a renewal of the Anglo-Japanese alliance, to which there seems to have been a rising tide of opposition.

Internal affairs in England would at once reflect the relief felt by a limitation of armaments, it was declared here today, and official conference would thus be of intense interest to the people throughout this country.

PARIS, July 11.—Sheldon Whitehouse, counselor of the American embassy, called at the French foreign office just before noon today and talked with M. de Peretti de la Bocca, director of political affairs, on the possibility of holding a conference on disarmament.

Mr. Whitehouse delivered no document in this connection, merely engaging in a tentative conversation on the subject.

Official comment on President Harding's initiative for a conference on the limitation of armament is withheld pending receipt of the official invitation, but unofficial opinions gathered in official circles, are to the effect that France certainly will accept the invitation if one is received.

Attitude Unchanged
The attitude of the French government, however, is said to be unchanged since it was set forth in the assembly of the league of nations last December by Leon Bourgeois. France, it is explained, is ready and would be glad to reduce her armament and save the heavy expense involved as soon as she can safely do so, but any decision on this question must depend upon absolute security from the east. Inquiries in official circles disclose the impression that such security has not yet been obtained. The Upper Silesian troubles and the nationalist action in certain parts of Germany are cited as indications that the time has not yet come when France can safely weaken herself in the face of Germany.